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## MEMORANDUM FOR THE RECORD

SUBJECT: DepSecDef Carlucci's Meetings in Bonn--20 February (U)

Based on a telcon with ISA escort officer, DepSecDef Carlucci's meetings with FRG officials went extremely well. No surprise, and Germans, including Apel, seem pleased.

Major highlights -


- Wartime Host Nation Support. Apel said he was confident of a forthcoming FRG reply. The Federal Security Council would meet on 25 February to work on details.

- ERW. Some "grumbling" about publicity. FRG had supported in 1977 and would do so again.

- German Defense Attitude. Apel was delighted with Bundestag vote on German Defense Program (unspecified) 276-0. United States should not pay too much attention to rumors that TORNADO getting him in trouble.

Reporting cables being sent to Munich for Carlucci's approval tomorrow. Carlucci briefed SecDef on visit by telcon today.

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